

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
SAN JOSE DIVISION**

## Defendants

## PARTIES JOINT REQUEST TO BE EXEMPT FROM FORMAL ADR PROCESS

Parties' Joint Request for Exemption  
C 07-5184 HRL

1 Court compel defendants to adjudicate the application for adjustment of status. Given the  
2 substance of the action and the lack of any potential middle ground, ADR will only serve to  
3 multiply the proceedings and unnecessarily tax court resources. Accordingly, pursuant to ADR  
4 L.R. 3-3(c), the parties request the case be removed from the ADR Multi-Option Program and  
5 that they be excused from participating in the ADR phone conference and any further formal  
6 ADR process.

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8 Respectfully Submitted,

9 Dated: January 8, 2008

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10 /s/  
Justin G. Fok  
Attorney for Plaintiff

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13 Dated: January 8, 2008

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14 /s/  
Ila C. Deiss  
United States Attorney  
15 Attorney for Defendants

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18 **ORDER**

19 Pursuant to stipulation, IT IS SO ORDERED.

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21 Date:

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22 Howard R. Lloyd  
Magistrate Judge